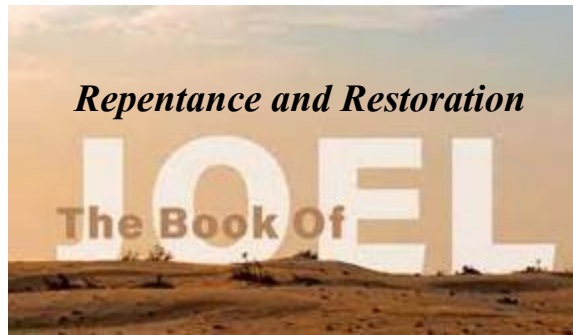


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Introduction



Part of the “book of 12” “minor” prophets

What order are the OT books in?

What order are the minor prophets in?

Author – Who is Joel? (1:1)

“Son of Pethuel”

Mentioned in the Old Testament...

What is a “prophet”?

Time

Two major theories

Early – during the time of the kings (especially Jehoshaphat -- II Kings 11)

Late – post exile

Unique features

No king is mentioned

No specific enemy of Israel (except locusts)

No specific sin is mentioned

Quoting other scriptures (or were they quoting Joel? )

Joel in the church today

Ash Wednesday, Pentecost Eve, quoted in Acts 2

As you read Joel...

What sounds familiar?

Quotes / parallels with other books

What sounds like a connection?

Literal or illustration?

Old Testament Israel

New Testament Messiah

Today – the Church

The Last Day when Christ returns

What Themes stand out?

Questions??